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to have this continual piecemeal back and forth, and this year it may be add back for depreciation, next year it may be adding into the calculation property taxes paid on a homestead that normally are deducted on a Schedule F. What I hope people don't confuse here is we're not talking about tax law. We're talking about how do you calculate child support and how much available money is there to pay your first obligation, and that's to support your children. And it's easy in these cases to mix tax law and say, well, it's deductible, so if it's deductible I shouldn't have to have that available to pay my child support or have it available for calculation of child support. This amendment, I plan to withdraw it. Senator Baker should have the opportunity to either have his bill voted on in the form that he wants it. I'm not going to take it apart. I don't think that's fair to him. But I did want to put this amendment, I'm going to leave it up for a little bit. I would like to just slow people down just for a minute before this thing rolls too far to give you the opportunity to again look at the issue of do we piecemeal, in other words, bill by bill, we don't like what the Supreme Court has for their guidelines in how we determine child support. This is really crucial because the court will come back and ultimately they're going to say, look, we're...we're the court, these are orders of the court. The Supreme Court constitutionally is entitled and they have the obligation to determine the administration of justice in this state. If we start to encroach on that and do it in piecemeal, we may win this one bill if it passes, but, I'll tell you, you're headed for a real showdown and the bottom line is that we may not have any input and bills like Senator Crosby's may not be able to occur. And so I know my time's going to run short here on this. I will leave it up for a little bit of discussion or some questions. Thank you, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Senator Kristensen. Senator Beutler on the Kristensen amendment.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Senator Baker, I am in a position that I haven't spent enough time on this to probably articulate my concerns well, but let me put the concern in the form of one example, and simply allow you to indicate to me to what extent you think this should or should not be allowed to happen. But let's say a person is a truck driver and let's say the person